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SUBJECT: DRAFT Scope of Work for Operable Unit 7-13/14- Waste

Area Group 7, Comprehensive Remedial

Investigation/Feasibility Study-INEL-95/0253

Dear Ms. Green:

The Idaho Department of Health and Welfare, Division of Environmental Quality (IDHW-DEQ) received the above-referenced document on June 9, 1995, reviewed it for content, and is providing comments pursuant to the FFA/CO.

The SOW, as presented, does not provide the level of detail this particular Comprehensive RI/FS should generate. Rather, the WAG 7 Comprehensive Remedial Investigation Baseline Risk Assessment Methodology of June 28, received by IDHW-DEQ on June 30, after some further modification, would appear to be a better product in this regard. Therefore, in light of the assumptions made in the Methodology paper and the unknown output of the yet to be held scoping session on July 19/20, IDHW recommends the draft SOW, Methodology paper, and comments from the meeting be combined to prepare the Draft Final.

Sincerely,

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